

House Resolution No.

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives wholeheartedly believe that a successful marriage forms a firm foundation for a lifetime of happiness and security and wish to salute an outstanding Missouri couple whose union confirms that philosophy; and

Whereas, Mr. and Mrs. Robert C. "Bud" Fritz, Sr., cherished residents of Louisiana, Missouri, will commemorate the resplendent occasion of their Fiftieth Wedding Anniversary on May 16, 2004, with a special celebration at the home of their daughter and son-in-law; and

Whereas, joined in marriage before the eyes of the Lord on May 7, 1954, Bud and Gussie May Fritz began their lives together as husband and wife after a memorable wedding ceremony at the Presbyterian Church in Louisiana; and

Whereas, a proud father and caring husband, Mr. Fritz provided a safe and secure future for his loved ones as a union electrician for more than fifty years, while Mrs. Fritz enjoyed her family immensely and showed her special love for them by dutifully caring for her home and remaining supportive of their every endeavor; and

Whereas, Bud and Gussie Fritz attribute their fifty years of wedded success and happiness to their strong sense of faith and family, the foundation upon which they have planted the seeds of their love and respect for each other in the generations to come which include their five children and their spouses, Marie and Claudie Henderson of Louisiana, Robert "Bob" Fritz, Jr. of Bowling Green, Carolyn and Roger Wommack of Taylorville, Illinois, Jan and Tim Collard of Harrisburg, and Betty and Buddy Kamry of Louisiana; and their sixteen grandchildren and two great-grandchildren; and

Whereas, throughout their blissful union, Bud and Gussie Fritz have remained devoted life partners and have put forth a tremendous amount of effort to ensure the sanctity of the vows they took so very long ago:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, unanimously join in a thunderous round of applause for Bud and Gussie Fritz upon the glorious celebration of their Golden Wedding Anniversary, and in wishing them tremendous peace and contentment as they proudly continue their journey along life's path; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Mr. and Mrs. Robert C. "Bud" Fritz, Sr.

Offered by _____
Representative Terry L. Witte
District No. 10

I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. ____, adopted _____, 2004.

Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker